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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of) **MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE**
Seiji Ohshima)
Application No.: 09/874,125) Group Art Unit: 2624
Filed: June 6, 2001) Examiner: TOMMY D LEE
For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS) Confirmation No.: 7886
AND METHOD ALLOWING CONTROL)
OF DEGREE OF EDGE)
ENHANCEMENT)
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant's Attorney received a Notice of Allowance dated November 10, 2005 for the above-identified patent application. The Notice indicates that claims 1-8, 9-13 and 15-17 are allowed. However, claim 8 was canceled in an Amendment filed on August 30, 2005. The Examiner is respectfully requested to issue a Supplemental Notice of Allowability.

In the event that there are any questions concerning this paper, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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